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Summer- Flowering **BULBS**

• **SPRING 1953** •

Gigantic Holland **AMARYLLIS**



Dutch growers have produced Amaryllis strains which are now in flower in beauty. Gloriously, the beauty of nature reveals itself in these mighty flowers, borne on strong, sturdy stems. It is amazing and exciting to see the flower buds emerge from the large bulbs only a few weeks after planting, and burst into such gigantic, glorious blooms—opening 8 inches across! Often, more flower buds emerge after the first have finished blooming. Your investment in **Royal Dutch Amaryllis** will pay dividends in beauty each year as the original bulbs last many, many years.

SNOW-WHITE	Each \$3.00	3 for \$8.50
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EDMOND RIGGS

Rare Plants

ST. MARTINVILLE, LOUISIANA

GLADIOLUS by Color

The following offer of Gladiolus in separate colors, and the offer to the extreme right are intended for customers who are not particularly interested in the named varieties but wish to make their selections according to color.

	10	25	100
BRIGHT RED	\$0 70	\$1 50	\$5 50
LAVENDER	75	1 65	6 25
SOFT PINK	70	1 50	5 75
PURE YELLOW	80	1 75	6 50
SMOKY	85	1 85	6 75

Collection 1 5 bulbs each of above 5 colors **25 for \$1.65**

LARGE- FLOWERED GLADIOLUS

For a riot of glorious colors in your garden and for an abundance of gay cut flowers, our large-flowered Gladiolus mixture can't be beat. Only the choicest varieties in a wide range of colors are used for this exceptionally fine blend. Plant these bulbs at intervals of ten days for a succession of bloom all during the summer and fall. Gladiolus are one of the easiest bulbs to grow. With very little care, they will last for years and years.

DeLuxe MIXTURE OF LARGE- FLOWERED GLADIOLUS

10 for 70c 25 for \$1.45

100 for \$5.25 POST-PAID

Collection 3 5 bulbs each of 10 Gladiolus colors listed to the left and right
50 for \$3.15

GLADIOLUS by Color

All the separate colors listed below and to the extreme left are selected from our finest stock. All these bulbs will produce exceptional flowers of exquisite colors on tall, erect stems. Plant generously for bedding and cutting.

	10	25	100
PURPLE-BLUE	\$0 70	\$1 60	\$6 00
DEEP SCARLET	70	1 60	6 00
TWO-TONE	80	1 75	6 50
SNOW-WHITE	70	1 50	5 50
SALMON-ORANGE ..	75	1 65	6 25

Collection 2 5 bulbs each of above 5 colors **25 for \$1.60**

Ideal Large-Flowered Varieties

Gladiolus make attractive displays in the garden when planted in beds or in groups along the border, and they are ideal for cutting. Gladiolus are easily grown in any good, well-drained soil in a sunny location. They may be had in bloom continuously through the summer and fall months by planting a number of bulbs every week or so from early spring until July.

The following are truly superb and proven varieties, which are extra fine in color and bear immense flowers, excellently placed on tall, upright spikes.

	10	50
ABU HASSAN. Large flowers of intense violet-blue.....	\$0 70	\$3 00
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Beautiful lavender, large ruffled florets.....	80	3 50
GENERAL EISENHOWER. An even begonia-rose. A fine new introduction.....	85	3 75
HOPMAN'S GLORY. Pure golden yellow flowers on tall, straight spikes.....	75	3 25
JUNEBELLS. Snow-white. Large florets excellently placed on strong stems.....	65	2 75
LEEUEWENHORST. Pure salmon-pink. Beautiful flowers perfectly set on very tall, erect spikes.....	70	3 00
MANSOER. Bold ruby-red flowers with velvety sheen.....	90	4 00
MODERN TIMES. Uniform carmine-purple. A fine late introduction.....	85	3 75
NEW EUROPE. Glowing, bright red. A fine self-color.....	65	2 75
PAUL RUBENS. Without a doubt, the best purple yet introduced.....	70	3 00
PICARDY. Immense spikes bearing rich apricot blooms. Most popular.....	75	3 25
SNOW PRINCESS. Very fine white; tall, straight stem.....	70	3 00
SPOTLIGHT. A large, ruffled, deep yellow with scarlet blotch. Outstanding variety.....	85	3 75
TIVOLI. Salmon with cochineal-red markings. Flowers well placed on tall spikes.....	85	3 75
YELLOW HERALD. Clear pale yellow. Tall, wiry stem.....	75	3 25

Selected Novelties from Holland

For the guidance of those who wish to select the very best of the newest varieties imported from Holland, we have specially selected the following magnificent varieties. These are just about the most outstanding Gladiolus we have ever had the pleasure to offer. Each and every one of these prize-winning Gladiolus is a sight to behold and will bring new, exciting beauty to your garden. We know of no other Gladiolus which are so extra fine in rich, vibrant colors, and with such large florets of excellent texture and substance. The individual flowers open wide and are well placed on very tall, upright stems. Whether you grow them for bedding, cutting or show purposes, you will surely be proud of these exquisite flowers.

	10	50
CARRARA. Immense flowers of a lovely creamy white. Flowers are set perfectly on a very tall, straight spike. One of the best.....	\$0 80	\$3 50
CHERBOURG. Uniform ruby-purple. The very pleasing color does not fade, and the flowers are long-lasting. An exquisite variety.....	85	3 75
DR. FLEMING. A stunning rosy pink, distinctly edged silvery pink. Huge flowers with ruffled petals. This new variety has much to commend it. The florets are well placed on stiff stems and many are open at one time.....	85	3 75
HAN VAN MEEGEREN. A magnificent variety. The large flowers are deep canary-yellow and are carried on tall, erect stems.....	90	4 00
HAWAII. One of the finest smoky varieties. The over-all color is an exquisite dull brownish red with a deep carmine-red blotch.....	90	4 00
JO WAGENAAR. Dark old-carmine-red, shaded velvet, with little white stripes running through the center. A magnificent variety.....	1 10	5 00
LAVENDEL DREAM. Large flowers of lovely cattleya-rose on tall, upright stems. The florets are beautifully ruffled, which makes this an outstanding variety for floral arrangements as well as for showy effects in the garden.....	85	3 75
MASKERADE. A lovely shade of soft yellow with a scarlet blotch in throat.....	90	4 00
MEMORIAL DAY. A gaint-flowered variety. Pale, peony-purple flowers with a white vein are borne on tall, strong stems.....	85	3 75
PRINCESS BEATRIX. Bright scarlet-orange with a purple blotch.....	1 00	4 50

COLLECTION:

4 5 bulbs each of above 15 Ideal varieties **75 for \$5.35**
5 10 bulbs each of above 15 varieties **150 for \$10.00**

COLLECTION 8

5 bulbs each of the 25 named varieties listed on this page **125 for \$9.35**
Varieties of all Collections separately packed and labeled

COLLECTION:

6 3 each of above 10 Holland varieties **30 for \$2.65**
7 5 each of above 10 Holland varieties **50 for \$4.20**

Spring-Flowering Lilies

The varieties illustrated to the right have been specially selected for their early and spring blooming characteristics. They will provide ample color and delightful fragrance in your garden in late spring, after early Spring-flowering bulbs have finished blooming.

No other plants possess as many charms as Lilies. Available in such a variety of shapes and rich colors, they are stately in form and of such delicious fragrance that they stand out prominently.

Lilies do best in the hardy border or among shrubbery. They love to have their "heads in the sun and feet in the shade"—so provide a location where the base of the plant will be somewhat shaded. Once established, Lilies increase in beauty year after year.

LONGIFLORUM (Easter Lily). An exceptionally fine Lily bearing large, pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers on stems 2 feet tall. Delightfully fragrant and a prolific bloomer. A perfect Lily for the border and an excellent variety for growing in pots. Blooms in July.

Each 35c

3 for \$1.00

10 for \$2.75

HENRYI. A splendid, tall-growing variety producing numerous recurved and pendent flowers of rich apricot-yellow. Usual height is 3 to 5 feet, but under ideal conditions will grow as high as 8 feet! A sturdy and robust Lily, which deserves a place in every garden. Blooms in August and September.

Each 60c

10 for \$4.50

3 for \$1.55

AURATUM (Gold-banded Japan Lily). A spectacular Lily of astounding beauty. Bears an abundance of magnificent, trumpet-shaped flowers of waxy white, delicately spotted crimson and with a predominant golden yellow band running through the center of the petals. A delightfully fragrant Lily, which will grow 3 to 6 feet tall and produce more and more blooms with each passing year. There is no doubt that this is one of the finest of all Lilies. Blooms in August.

Each 70c

10 for \$5.50

3 for \$1.90

Hardy Garden Lilies



REGALE. One of the finest trumpet varieties available—a splendid, regal beauty! White flowers, slightly yellow in throat. The outside of the petals is flushed delicate lilac-pink. A very sturdy and vigorous Lily which bears its magnificent flowers on strong stems 3 to 5 feet tall. Each year, as the plant becomes established, more and more delightful trumpets are produced. Blooms in July.

Each 40c

3 for \$1.10

10 for \$3.00



ORANGE TRIUMPH. One of the earliest Lilies to bloom. The handsome new variety produces massive, chalice-shaped flowers of a remarkably brilliant orange color. The bold flowers are upward facing and carried on 3½-foot stems. It is ideal for creating mass effects in the garden and blooms profusely when established. For bolder effects, plant in groups of at least three. June flowering.

Each 40c

3 for \$1.10

10 for \$3.00

All bulbs in Lily Collections are separately packed and labeled

COLLECTION:

9 1 bulb each of the 3 Spring-flowering Lilies

3 for \$1.05

10 3 bulbs each of the 3 Spring-flowering Lilies

9 for \$2.70

COLLECTION:

11 1 bulb each of the 8 Spring and Autumn-flowering varieties

8 for \$3.45

12 3 bulbs each of the 8 Spring and Autumn-flowering varieties

24 for \$9.00



TIGRINUM. This selected strain bears large, shapely flowers of the richest salmon-orange with purplish black spots. A vigorous grower and easy to naturalize. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall and blooms August and September.

Each 35c

10 for \$2.75

3 for \$1.00



PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM. Huge, trumpet-like flowers of the purest white with throats of emerald-green. The latest-flowering Lily—always dominating the garden when established and in full bloom. Tall, strong stems grow 4 to 6 feet. For spectacular displays, provide ample moisture during dry weather. Blooms August and September.

Each 40c

3 for \$1.15

10 for \$3.25

Summer and Autumn-flowering

These varieties are particularly selected for their hardiness and prolific blooming qualities, which will make your garden scene bright and gay in summer and fall.



SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. An elegant and graceful Lily which is held in high esteem by many Lily-lovers. The delicately wavy flowers are frosted-white, suffused rose-pink with dainty crimson spots. The petals are gracefully reflexed with protruding stamens which add to its beauty. Unsurpassed for both garden and pot culture. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall and blooms in August and September.

Each 65c

10 for \$5.25

3 for \$1.75

COLLECTION:

13 One each of the 5 Fall-flowering Lilies

5 for \$2.55

14 Three each of the 5 Fall-flowering Lilies

15 for \$6.60



MONTBRETIA is a delightful bulbous plant giving a profusion of colorful flowers on tall, graceful stems. The exquisite flowers are similar to miniature gladiolus and are produced from July until frost. Do well in light shade or full sun. Excellent for cutting.

	10	50
E. A. AMOS. A beautiful Japanese yellow.....	\$1 10	\$5 00
COMET. Deep orange-yellow with dark tomato-red spots.....	1 30	6 00
LADY WILSON. An exquisite shade of pure orange-yellow.....	85	4 00
RHEINGOLD. Beautifully shaped flowers of pure golden yellow.....	1 30	6 00
STAR OF THE EAST. Light saturnus-red, orange-yellow center.....	1 20	5 50

Collection 15 25 for
5 bulbs each of the above 5 Montbretia varieties **\$2.65**

ACIDANTHERA

Charming and graceful flowers, which are sweetly scented. Produces a number of tubular flowers suspended on gracefully arching, 2-foot stems. Distinctive maroon-black markings accentuate the creamy white petals. A rare and unusual flower, yet it is of easiest garden handling. Plant, dig and store as you would gladiolus. 3 for 35c 10 for \$1.00 50 for \$4.50

TIGRIDIA (Mexican Shellflower)

Few flowers are as gorgeously colored and brilliant. Unrivaled in beauty, these exotic flowers are exquisitely marked with dabs of carmine, purple or mahogany. Prefers a sunny position in a flower border or bed. Planted in May, they give a continuous display of delightful flowers during midsummer. Each stalk grows 2 feet tall and produces several flowers. Separate colors.

RED YELLOW PURPLE WHITE ROSE
3 for 35c 10 for \$1.00 50 for \$4.50

Collection 16 30 for
each of above 5 Tigridia colors **\$2.70**

MIXTURE OF TIGRIDIAS. Gives a succession of flowers in most exciting variation of colors. 10 for 80c 25 for \$1.90 100 for \$7.25

CAPE HYACINTHS

(*Hyacinthus candicans*)

A summer-flowering Hyacinth, which produces a succession of flower stalks bearing 20 or more bell-shaped flowers of pure white. Very ornamental for borders and as a background. While liking full sun, will do well in partial shade. Grows 4 feet.

3 for 60c 50 for \$8.25
10 for \$1.80



ISMENE CALATHINA

(Peruvian Daffodil)

One of the best of our summer-flowering bulbs. Showy, sweet-scented, pearly white trumpet flowers are borne three on a stem, similar to the Amaryllis. The sturdy, 2-foot plants have beautiful strap-like, leathery foliage and strong flower stems. Prefers a sunny location. Planted in May, they will commence flowering in July. A truly worthwhile bulb which deserves a nice place in every garden.

Each 50c 3 for \$1.45 10 for \$4.25

OXALIS (American Shamrock)

Free-blooming plants, which produce rich rosy crimson flowers in bunches. Clover-like leaves are spotted with maroon and curiously tend to close toward dusk. The brilliant flowers are borne on 6-inch stems continuously from mid-summer through September. Excellent for edging walks, flower beds and rock gardens. Ideal for hanging baskets or for growing in pots indoors.

10 for 30c 25 or 65c

100 for
\$2.25

An abundance of dark green foliage, spotted silvery white, giving the plant a very ornamental appearance. Grows 1½ feet tall. Plant in April or May after danger of frost has passed. Delights in a sunny location where it will flower beautifully in August or September.

ALBA MACULATA. Large, trumpet-shaped, white flowers produced in abundance.

Each 35c 3 for \$1.00 10 for \$3.00

ELLIOTTIANA (Yellow Calla). Truly magnificent flowers of deep golden yellow are produced freely. Outstanding for the garden or as a house plant.

Each 30c 3 for 85c 10 for \$2.50

PINK SUPERBA. A dwarf Calla bearing many lovely pink flowers. An exquisite plant for the garden or for greenhouse culture.

Each 35c 3 for 95c 10 for \$2.75

Collection 17

3 bulbs each of White, Yellow, Pink and 1 Black Calla

10 for
\$3.15

Montbretia

MONTBRETIA MIXTURE

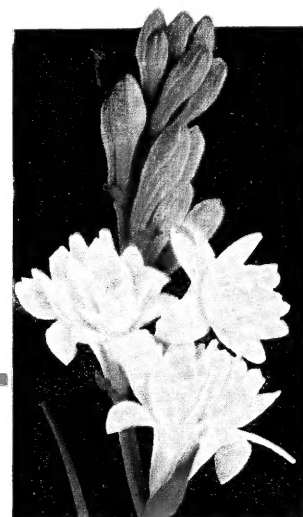
A special blend of the finest colors, ranging from yellow through orange and the brightest red. Particularly suited for planting in mixture, since the colors are all harmonious. Will provide abundant and colorful garden decoration in late summer and fall.

10 for 60c 100 for \$5.00

25 for **\$1.35**



TIGRIDIA, MIXED COLORS. 25 for \$1.90



TUBEROSE

Large, double flowers having a thick, wax-like texture and set close to spike. A wonderful summer-flowering plant for the garden, besides being fine for cut flowers. The pure white flowers have a rich, exotic fragrance. Should be planted in groups of 3 or more after all danger of frost is past. Grows 3 feet tall.

3 for 30c 10 for 90c 50 for \$4.00

GLORIOSA ROTHSCILDIANA

(Glory Lily)

A splendid climber, very easy to grow in the garden. It reaches 3 to 4 feet in height and produces a dozen or more lovely, lily-like flowers of bright yellow and red. Blooms continuously during the summer and autumn months. Store tubers in winter like gladiolus.

Each \$1.00 3 for \$2.75 10 for \$8.50

Calla Lilies

THE BLACK CALLA

A spectacular and rare Calla, very seldom seen in American gardens. The remarkable flowers are borne profusely and are of the deepest purple—almost black. A fascinating novelty, which is sure to attract considerable attention in the border. Be among the first to have this rare and unusual Calla in your garden. Only a limited supply available.

Each 75c 10 for \$6.00

3 for
\$2.00



EXHIBITION



DAHLIAS

LUCKY STAR. This most graceful and refined Dahlia of the cactus type, as illustrated above to the left, produces flowers in abundance. Their long, wiry stems make them easy for cutting, and the graceful flowers are ideal for charming arrangements. It is a fine garden variety, vigorous in growth and of medium height.

Each 60c

3 for \$1.65

10 for \$4.95

BARBAROSSA. The striking color combination of this decorative type flower illustrated above produces a most attractive effect. The flower has an excellent stem and rises well above the foliage of the plant. A fine cut flower and a fine decorative plant in the garden.

Each 65c

3 for \$1.80

10 for \$5.40

Giant Prize-Winning

Wonderful exhibition varieties, specially selected for giant size of flower; attractive color and growing habit.

CALIFORNIA IDOL. Giant, bright yellow flowers Each growing on stiff stems.....	\$0 80	3	\$2 25
CHEROKEE BRAVE. An outstanding giant, rich oxblood-red flower which does not fade.....	65	1 80	
GLAMOUR. Immense true purple flowers are carried on strong stems.....	80	2 25	
MICHIGAN WHITE. Pure white. Flowers average 7 to 8 inches across strong stems.....	50	1 35	
PREMIER'S WINSOME. Soft amaranth-pink with lighter shadings. Excellent variety.....	65	1 80	
SUNRAYS. Orange and peach. Flowers are large on 4 1/2 foot plants.....	80	2 25	

COLLECTION:

18 One tuber each of above 6 Giant varieties 6 for \$3.90

19 Three each of above 6 Giant varieties 18 for \$11.20

Refined Cactus

These graceful, refined Dahlias with beautifully rolled and curved petals have gained much popularity. Excellent for cutting.

BEAUTE. A real cactus of light yellow.....	\$0 50	3	\$1 35
GOOD NIGHT. Very dark clear red; fine petals.....	65	1 80	
JERSEY'S DAINTY. Pure white. Prolific bloomer. Long stems.....	65	1 80	
LAETARE. Striking color combination of scarlet and gold. Well-formed flower on good stem.....	65	1 80	
MISS PITTSBURGH. The perfect light rose-pink Cactus. Exceptionally free blooming.....	65	1 80	
SCARLET LEADER. Bright scarlet. Long, erect stems.....	80	2 25	

COLLECTION:

20 One tuber each of above 6 Cactus varieties 6 for \$3.60

21 Three of each 18 for \$10.50

Popular Decorative

Outstanding varieties with vigorous growing habits, large blooms, straight stems and free-blooming qualities.

FRANCIS LAROCO. Sulphur-yellow; long, erect stems.....	\$0 35	3	\$0 90
GALLANT FOX. Dark claret-red. Robust grower.....	35	90	
JANE COWL. Massive blooms of bronzy buff and gold.....	50	1 35	
JERSEY'S BEAUTY. The finest true rose-pink.....	50	1 35	
ROSY DARLENE. Beautiful light rose-pink with darker rose center.....	50	1 35	
WHITE KING. Pure white; beautiful form.....	50	1 35	

COLLECTION:

22 One tuber each of the above 6 Decorative varieties 6 for \$2.40

23 Three each of above 6 Decorative varieties 18 for \$6.85

Prolific Miniature

Exquisitely dainty and continuously in bloom. The flowers are long lasting; plants are compact and free branching.

ANDRIES ORANGE. Bright orange. Each cactus-type flower.....	\$0 80	3	\$2 25
BISHOP OF LLANDAFF. Bright scarlet, duplex flower. Beautiful contrasting reddish purple foliage.....	35	90	
BUCKEYE BABY. Golden buff. Very free blooming.....	50	1 35	
FAIRY. Rose-pink. Early and continuous bloomer.....	35	90	
IKE. Deep carmine-red. Blooms profusely.....	50	1 35	
WHITE FAWN. Popular pure white. Prolific.....	35	90	

COLLECTION 24

One tuber each of above 6 Miniature varieties

6 for \$2.55

COLLECTION 25

Three each of above 6 Miniature varieties

18 for \$7.30



IMPORTED Holland Dahlias

The following varieties have been carefully selected and include the finest new varieties from the field of Holland's foremost Dahlia grower. They are all prized for their exceptionally outstanding flowers and free-blooming characteristics. These imported Dahlia clumps produce sturdy and vigorous growing plants.

FATHER JUSTINUS. Orange-yellow. Beautifully formed, large, decorative-type flower.....	\$0 65	3	\$1 80	10	\$5 40
FLIRT. Sulphur-yellow, real cactus-type flower. Rich flowering, excellent for cutting.....	70	1 95	5 85		
GENERAL EISENHOWER. Dark scarlet-red. Most attractive cactus-type flower on first-class stem. Vigorous grower.....	70	1 95	5 85		
GERRIE HOEK. Beautiful pink decorative-type flower. Blooms profusely.....	65	1 80	5 40		
HOEK'S GLORY. A delightful lilac-rose cactus-type flower, which is a fine garden variety and fine for cutting.....	70	1 95	5 85		
KONINGSROEM. Dark velvety red. Marvelous decorative type flower of very large dimensions.....	75	2 10	6 30		
MARGARET ROSE. The outstanding European variety of today. The majestic semi-cactus-type flower is beautiful salmon-rose with a creamy yellow center. Outlasts all other Dahlias when cut. Very prolific, sturdy plant.....	1 00	2 75	8 25		
NEGROBOY. Small-flowering, very dark red and lustrous. Continuously in bloom, with most elegantly-formed flowers.....	95	2 65	7 95		
SNOWSTORM. Very large, pure white. Beautifully formed, decorative type. Rich flowering.....	65	1 80	5 40		
VITALITY. Pure yellow. The flower form of this decorative variety is most striking.....	70	1 95	5 85		

COLLECTION:

28 One tuber each of the 10 Holland varieties 10 for \$6.75

29 Three of each 30 for \$18.50

Dainty Pompon

These smallest of all Dahlias are excellent for cutting. All flower abundantly.

EDITH MULLER. Rosy orange and yellow.....	\$0 50	3	\$1 35
MARY MUNNS. Deep orchid-lavender.....	35	90	
MORNING MIST. Lavender tipped white.....	35	90	
SUNCLAD. Old favorite white.....	35	90	
SUNSHINE. Brilliant scarlet.....	50	1 35	
YELLOW GEM. Creamy yellow.....	35	90	

COLLECTION 26

One tuber each of above 6 Pompon varieties

6 for \$2.10

COLLECTION 27

Three each of above 6 Pompon varieties

18 for \$6.00



EMPEROR FRIEDRICH. Scarlet, white bordered.
EMPEROR WILLIAM. Violet, white bordered.
ETOILE DE FEU. Crimson.
MONT BLANC. White.
TIGRE. White, spotted violet and red.
VIOLACEA. Dark violet.

Each 35c 3 for \$1.00 10 for \$3.00

6 for

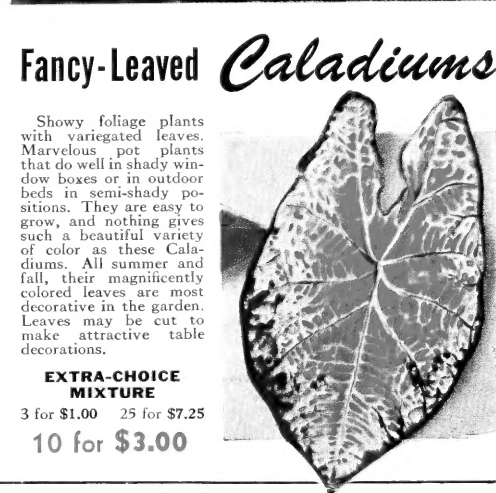
One bulb each of above 6 varieties . . . \$1.85

Mixed Colors and Shades of Gloxinias

3 for 90¢ 10 for \$2.60 25 for \$6.25

HOLLYWOOD. Novelty Gloxinia from Belgium. Gorgeous, ruffled, large-flowered novelty of rich velvety purple. Produces a very attractive, compact plant. Very free flowering.

Each **45¢** 3 for **\$1.25** 10 for **\$3.75**



Begonias are perhaps the handsomest of all summer-flowering plants. They are very popular for use in window boxes, as house plants, and for planting in beds or groups in moist, shaded areas. Gigantic flowers appear uninterruptedly from July until frost.

SINGLE BEGONIAS. Gigantic, flat, single flowers often measuring 5 inches across.

FRILLED BEGONIAS. Single blooms with beautifully frilled petals.

CARNATION BEGONIAS. Double flowers with deeply fringed petals resembling a carnation.

Above 3 types available in the following colors:
Crimson, White, Orange, Pink, Yellow, Mixed Colors.
Each 30c 3 for 80c 10 for \$2.40

18 fo

3 bulbs each of Single, Frilled, Carnation, and
9 Double Begonias \$4.30

DOUBLE PENDULA (Hanging) BEGONIAS. A remarkable hanging variety which does well in shady window boxes, hanging baskets and rock gardens.

Mixed Colors. 3 for 80c 10 for \$2.40

MIXTURE OF BEGONIAS. All the different colors and various types of Begonias are included. Planted in beds and edgings, they will surpass your expectations.

Showy foliage plants with variegated leaves. Marvelous pot plants that do well in shady window boxes or in outdoor beds in semi-shady positions. They are easy to grow, and nothing gives such a beautiful variety of color as these Caladiums. All summer and fall, their magnificent colored leaves are most decorative in the garden. Leaves may be cut to make attractive table decorations.

**EXTRA-CHOICE
MIXTURE**

3 for \$1.00 25 for \$7.25
10 for \$3.00

Ship Prepaid to:

Name.....

Address.....

Amount Enclosed \$

QUANTITY	COLLECTION	PRICE
1.	25 GLADIOLUS in 5 colors	\$1.65
2.	25 GLADIOLUS in 5 colors	1.60
3.	50 GLADIOLUS in 10 colors	3.15
4.	75 GLADIOLUS in 15 varieties	5.35
5.	150 GLADIOLUS in 15 varieties	10.00
6.	30 GLADIOLUS in 10 Holland varieties	2.65
7.	50 GLADIOLUS in 10 Holland varieties	4.20
8.	125 GLADIOLUS in 25 varieties	9.35
9.	3 SPRING-FLOWERING LILIES in 3 varieties	1.05
10.	9 SPRING-FLOWERING LILIES in 3 varieties	2.70
11.	8 SPRING & FALL FLOWERING LILIES in 8 varieties	3.45
12.	24 SPRING & FALL FLOWERING LILIES in 8 varieties	9.00
13.	5 FALL-FLOWERING LILIES in 5 varieties	2.55
14.	15 FALL-FLOWERING LILIES in 5 varieties	6.60
15.	25 MONTBRETIAS in 5 varieties	2.65
16.	30 TIGRIDIAS in 5 colors	2.70
17.	10 CALLA LILIES in 4 varieties	3.15
18.	6 GIANT DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	3.90
19.	18 GIANT DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	11.20
20.	6 CACTUS DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	3.60
21.	18 CACTUS DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	10.50
22.	6 DECORATIVE DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	2.40
23.	18 DECORATIVE DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	6.85
24.	6 MINIATURE DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	2.55
25.	18 MINIATURE DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	7.30
26.	6 POMPON DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	2.10
27.	18 POMPON DAHLIAS in 6 varieties	6.00
	AMOUNT	\$

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POPULAR PRICED

Amaryllis HYBRIDS

This is a fine strain of large-flowered American-grown hybrids. They produce most beautiful indoor plants. Bulbs potted from January to May will flower freely indoors. They may also be grown in the garden. This strain with large, well-formed blooms of great beauty is available in MIXTURE ONLY, ranging from the richest self-colors to bicolored and tricolored blooms.

Selected large bulbs

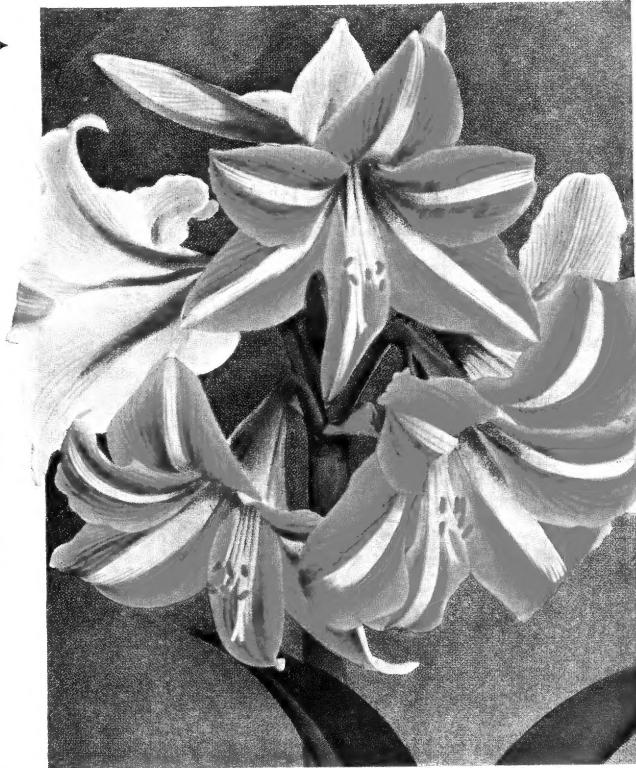
Each 50c 3 for \$1.35 10 for \$4.00

Double Ranunculus

Unusual flowering bulbs producing large, turban-shaped or globular flowers. This is a superior strain, which produces fully double flowers with a blending of semi-double blooms. The curiously shaped bulbs resemble spiders and should be planted with claws extending downward. Popular for mass plantings in the border, for growing in pots indoors. Excellent as cut flowers. Plant outdoors in May.

FRENCH HYBRID MIXTURE. Consists of a wide range of brilliant colors from red, through orange, yellow and pink.

10 for 50c
50 for \$2.25



Zephyranthes (FAIRY LILIES)

Produces rush-like foliage, about 6 inches high, from which rise open-petaled, crocus-like flowers. Fine in the rock garden. Bloom with great profusion during the summer.

ROSEA. Clear rose; large.

10 for 80c 50 for \$3.60

CANDIDA. Pure white.

10 for 50c 50 for \$2.25

Colorful Anemones

Exceedingly brilliant flowers up to 2½ inches across are borne on 1½-foot stems. For nice effects, they should be planted in clumps of 6 or more. They are very showy in the garden and are also excellent for cutting. Plant bulbs about 2 or 3 inches deep in a cool, moist, but well-drained soil. Blooms in early summer.

DE CAEN. Beautiful, single flowers in an array of exquisite colors ranging from white through brilliant shades and combinations of purple, red and blue.

10 for 50c 50 for \$2.25

ST. BRIGID. Attractive double and semi-double flowers in a mixture containing a riot of colors in all shades of blue, red and pink as well as white.

10 for 60c
50 for \$2.75



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CULTIVATION. Easy-to-follow planting instructions enclosed with every shipment.

GUARANTEE. All bulbs are guaranteed to be true to name and sure to bloom. Our liability, however, is limited to the purchase price of the bulbs.

